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3. Forced; not agreeable to the real state of persons or things.

They admire only glittering trifles, that in a serious poem are nauseous, because they are *unnatural*. Would any man, who is ready to die for love, describe his passion like Narcissus? *Dryden.*

In an heroic poem, two kinds of thoughts are carefully to be avoided; the first, are such as are affected and *unnatural*; the second, such as are mean and vulgar. *Addison.*

UNNATURALNESS. *n. f.* Contrariety to nature. *Addison.*
The God, which is the God of nature, doth never teach *unnaturalness*. *Sidney.*

UNNATURALLY. *adv.* In opposition to nature. *Addison.*
All the world have been frighted with an apparition of their own fancy, or they have most *unnaturally* conspired to cozen themselves. *Tillotson.*

UNNAVIGABLE. *adj.* Not to be passed by vessels; not to be navigated.

Pindar's *unnavigable* fong, *Cowley.*

Like a swift stream from mountains pours along, *Cowley.*
Some who the depths of eloquence have found,
In that *unnavigable* stream were drown'd. *Dryden.*

Let wit her sails, her oars let wisdom lend;
The helm let politick experience guide:
Yet cease to hope thy short-liv'd bark shall ride
Down spreading fate's *unnavigable* tide. *Prior.*

The Indian seas were believ'd to be *unnavigable*. *Arbutnot.*

UNNECESSARILY. *adv.* Without necessity; without need; needlessly.

To abrogate, without constraint of manifest harm thereby arising, had been to alter *unnecessarily*, in their judgment, the ancient, received custom of the whole church. *Hooker.*

'Tis highly imprudent in the greatest of men, *unnecessarily* to provoke the meanest. *L'Estrange.*

These words come in without any connexion with the story, and consequently *unnecessarily*. *Broome.*

UNNECESSARINESS. *n. f.* Needlessness.

These are such extremes as afford no middle for industry to exist, hope being equally out-dated by the desperation of *unnecessariness* of an undertaking. *Decay of Piety.*

UNNECESSARY. *adj.* Needless; not wanted; useless.

The doing of things *unnecessary*, is many times the cause why the most necessary are not done. *Hooker, b. v.*

Thou wherefore zed; thou *unnecessary* letter. *Shakespeare.*

Let brave spirits, fitted for command by sea or land, not be laid by, as persons *unnecessary* for the time. *Bacon.*

Lay that *unnecessary* scar aside;
Mine be the care new people to provide. *Dryden.*

Unnecessary coinage, as well as *unnecessary* revival of words, runs into affectation; a fault to be avoided on either hand. *Dryden.*

They did not only shun persecution, but affirmed, that it was *unnecessary* for their followers to bear their religion through such fiery trials. *Addison.*

The reader can easily discover how the plot will be unravelled at last; but the *unnecessary* intricacies in unravelling it, still remain to be accounted for. *Shakespeare, Iliad.*

UNNEIGHBOURLY. *adj.* Not kind; not suitable to the duties of a neighbour.

Parnassus is but a barren mountain, and its inhabitants make it more so, by their *unneighbourly* deportment. *Garrick.*

UNNEIGHBOURLY. *adv.* In a manner not suitable to a neighbour; with malevolence; with mutual mischief.

These two christian armies might combine
The blood of malice in a vein of league,
And not to spend it so *unneighbourly*. *Shakespeare.*

UNNEIGHBOURLY. *adv.* Weak; feeble. A bad word.

Scaliger calls them fine and lively in Mufes; but abject, *unneighbourly*, and unharmonious in Homer. *Broome.*

TO UNNERVE. *v. a.* To weaken; to enfeeble.

The precepts are often so minute and full of circumstances, that they weaken and *unnerve* his verse. *Addison.*

UNNERVED. *adj.* Weak; feeble.

Pyrrhus at Priam drives, in rage strikes wide;
But with the whiff and wind of his fell sword,
Th' *unner'd* father falls. *Shakespeare's Hamlet.*

UNNETH. *adv.* [This is from un and eth, Saxon, *uneth*; and UNETHES. *ought* therefore to be written *uneth*.] Scarcely; hardly; not without difficulty. Obsolete.

Diggon, I am so stiff and itanke,
That *uneth* I may stand any more;
And how the western wind bloweth fore,
Beating the wither'd leaf from the tree. *Spenser.*

A shepherd's boy,
When winter's wasteful figh was almost spent,
Led forth his flock, that had been long ypent;
So faint they waxe, and feeble in the fold,
That now *uneth* their feet could 'em uphold. *Spenser.*

UNNETH. *adj.* Mean; ignominious; ignoble.

I have offended reputation;
A most *unneble* twerving. *Shakespeare, Ant. and Cleopatra.*

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UNOBTAINED. *adj.* Not observed; not regarded; not heeded; not celebrated.

They may jest,
'Till their own scorn return to them *unobtained*. *Shakespeare.*

He drew his seat familiar to her side,
Far from the sutor train, a brutal crowd;
Where the free guest *unobtained* might relate,
If haply conscious of his father's fate. *Pope.*

A shameful fate now hides my hopeless head,
Unwept, *unobtained*, and for ever dead. *Pope's Odyssey.*

UNNUMBERED. *adj.* Innumerable.

The skies are painted with *unnumber'd* sparks;
They are all fire, and every one doth shine. *Shakespeare.*

Our bodies are but the anvils of pain and diseases, and our minds the shives of *unnumbered* cares and passions. *Raleigh.*

Of various forms, *unnumber'd* spectres, more
Centaur, and double shapes, besedge the door. *Dryden.*

Pitchy and dark the night sometimes appears;
Our joy and wonder sometimes the excites,
With stars *unnumber'd*. *Prior.*

UNOBEDIENCE. *n. f.* Incompliance; disobedience.

They make one man's particular failings, confining laws to others; and convey them, as such, to their successors, who are bold to misname all *unobedience* to their inco-

gnitancy, presumption. *Brown's Vulgar Errors.*

UNOBEYED. *adj.* Not obeyed.

Unworshipp'd, *unobey'd*, the throne supreme. *Milton.*

UNOBTAINED. *adj.* Not charged as a fault, or contrary argument.

What will he leave *unobtained* to Luther, when he makes it his crime that he defied the devil. *Atterbury.*

UNOBVIOUS. *adj.* Not liable; not exposed to any hurt.

So *unobvious* now, she hath buried both;
For none to death fies, that to sin is loth. *Denne.*

UNOBTAINABLE. *adj.* Not to be obtained; not discoverable.

A piece of glass reduced to powder, the same which, when entire, freely transmitted the beams of light, acquiring by confusion, a multitude of minute surfaces, reflects, in a confused manner, little and fingly *unobtainable* images of the lucid body, that from a diaphanous, it degenerates into a white body. *Boyle on Calours.*

UNOBTAINABLE. *adj.* Not obtainable.

1. Not obsequious.

2. Not attentive.

The *unobsequious* multitude may have some general, confused apprehensions of a beauty, that gilds the outline frame of the universe. *Glanville.*

UNOBTAINED. *adj.* Not regarded; not attended to; not heeded; not minded.

The motion in the minute parts of any solid body, which is the principal cause of violent motion, though *unobtained*, passeth without found. *Bacon's Nat. Hist.*

They the son of God, our Saviour meek,
Sung victor; and from heav'nly seat retir'd,
Brought on his way with joy; he, *unobtain'd*,
Home to his mother's house private return'd. *Milton.*

Every *unobtained* meteor is portentous, and the appearance of any *unobtained* stars, some divine prognostick. *Glanville.*

Such was the Boyne, a poor, inglorious stream,
That in Hibernian vales obscurely stray'd,
And, *unobtain'd*, in wild meanders play'd. *Addison.*

Had I err'd in this case, it had been a well-meant mistake, and might have pass'd *unobtain'd*. *Atterbury.*

UNOBTAINING. *adj.* Inattentive; not heeding.

His similitudes are not placed, as our *unobtaining* critics tell us, in the heat of any action; but commonly in its declining. *Dryden.*

UNOBTAINED. *adj.* Not hindered; not stopped.

Unobstructed matter flies away,
Ranges the void, and knows not where to stay. *Blackmore.*

UNOBTAINED. *adj.* Not raising any obstacle.

Why should he halt at either iron? why
Not forward run in *unobtain'd* way? *Blackmore.*

UNOBTAINED. *adj.* Not gained; not acquired.

As the will doth now work upon that object by desire, which is motion towards the end, as *unobtain'd*: so likewise upon the same heretofore received, it shall work also by love. *Hooker.*

UNOBTAINED. *adj.* Not readily occurring.

Of all the metals, not any so constantly is to be seen in *unobtain'd* colour, as copper. *Boyle on Calours.*

UNOBTAINED. *adj.* Unpossessible.

If we shall discover further to the north pole, we shall find all that tract not to be void, *unobtain'd*, or *unobtain'd*. *Roy.*

The fancy hath power to create them in the remotest, when *unobtain'd* by external impressions. *Gray's Copernicus.*

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The culling billows roll their restless tide:
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The people, like a headlong torrent go,
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UNOBTAINED. *adj.* Disordered; irregular.

Since some ceremonies must be used, every man would have his own fashion; whereof what other could be the ill, but infinite distraction, and *unobtain'd* confusion in the church. *Sanderfon.*

UNOBTAINED. *adj.* Uncommon; unusual.

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To tug and scramble, and to part by th' teeth
The *unobtain'd* interest of proud, swelling state. *Shakespeare.*

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Nor hecatomb unslain, nor vows *unpaid*;
On Greece, accurs'd, this dire confusion bring. *Dryden.*

What can atone, oh ever-injur'd shade!
Thy fate unpaid, and thy rites *unpaid*? *Pope.*

2. Not receiving dues or debts.

How often are relations neglected, and tradesmen *unpaid*, for the support of this vanity?